

## ATTACHMENT 12

### USEFUL RABIES CONTACT INFORMATION

(Telephone numbers confirmed as of February 2003)

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**Division of Epidemiology and Immunization, Massachusetts Department of Public Health**  
(Consultation about human exposures)

**Weekdays** (617) 983 - 6800  
**Evenings/weekends (emergencies)** (617) 983 - 6200

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**Rabies Laboratory** (617) 983 - 6385, - 6386, - 6387  
**Massachusetts State Laboratory Institute**

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**The Bureau of Animal Health, Department of Food and Agriculture** (617) 626 - 1794  
(To report domestic animal or livestock exposures and for questions regarding domestic animals or livestock)

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**The Division of Fisheries and Wildlife, Department of Fisheries, Wildlife and Environmental Law Enforcement** (617) 626 - 1591  
(For questions about wild animal and ferret exposures)

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#### **Human Rabies Immune Globulin (HRIG)**

**Aventis-Pasteur** 1 - 800 - VACCINE  
(Manufacturer and distributor of "Imogam", HRIG)

**Bayer Corporation** 1 - 800 - 288 - 8370  
(Manufacturer of Bayrab HRIG)

#### **Human Rabies Vaccine**

**Chiron Corporation** 1 - 800 - CHIRON - 8  
(Manufacturer and distributor of PCEC)

**Aventis-Pasteur** 1 - 800 - VACCINE  
(Manufacturer and distributor of HDCV)

**BioPort Corporation** (517) 327 - 1500  
(Licensed, but not currently manufacturing or distributing RVA)

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#### **Labs performing RFFIT on human specimens:**

**Atlanta Health Associates, Inc.** 1 - 800 - 717 - 5612

**NE Georgia Reference Laboratory** (706) 613 - 0077

**Maryland State Rabies Lab** (410) 767- 6176

**Kansas State University** (785) 532- 4483

## **USEFUL RABIES INTERNET RESOURCES**

(Web sites confirmed as of February 2003)

MDPH Rabies Web Site	<a href="http://www.state.ma.us/dph/cdc/epii/rabies/rabies.htm">http://www.state.ma.us/dph/cdc/epii/rabies/rabies.htm</a>
CDC Rabies Home Page	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dvrd/rabies/">http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dvrd/rabies/</a>
CDC Kids' Rabies Home Page	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dvrd/kidsrabies/">http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dvrd/kidsrabies/</a>
World Health Organization, RABNET	<a href="http://www.who.int/emc/diseases/zoo/rabnet.html">http://www.who.int/emc/diseases/zoo/rabnet.html</a>
Massachusetts Department of Fisheries, Wildlife, and Environmental Law Enforcement (MDFWELE) Division of Fisheries and Wildlife (DFW)	<a href="http://www.state.ma.us/dfwele/dfw/dfw_toc.htm">http://www.state.ma.us/dfwele/dfw/dfw_toc.htm</a>
Massachusetts Department of Food and Agriculture	<a href="http://www.state.ma.us/dfa/">http://www.state.ma.us/dfa/</a>
Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	<a href="http://www.mspca.org/">http://www.mspca.org/</a>
Tufts University School of Veterinary Medicine	<a href="http://www.tufts.edu/vet/">http://www.tufts.edu/vet/</a>